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Compliance with arms limitation and disarmament agreements

1. Replace preambular paragraphs 7, 8 and 9 with the following:

Recognizing, in this context, that full compliance by parties with all provisions of existing agreements and resolving compliance concerns effectively through procedures provided in such agreements can, inter alia, facilitate the conclusion of additional arms limitation and disarmament agreements,

Believing that compliance with all provisions of arms limitation and disarmament agreements by States parties is a matter of interest and concern to all members of the international community, and noting the role that the United Nations has played and should continue to play in that regard,

Convinced that resolution of non-compliance questions that have arisen with regard to arms limitations and disarmament obligations through procedures provided in relevant agreements would contribute to better relations among States and the strengthening of world peace and security.

2. Replace operative paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 with the following:

1. Urges all States parties to arms limitation and disarmament agreements to implement and comply with the entirety of the spirit and provisions of such agreements, including those related to transfer of technology and peaceful use;

2. Calls upon all States parties to give serious consideration to the implication that non-compliance with any provision of arms limitation and disarmament obligations has for international security and stability, as well as for the prospects for further progress in the field of disarmament;

3. Also calls upon all States parties to support efforts aimed at the resolution of non-compliance questions through procedures provided for in relevant agreements, with a view to encouraging strict observance by all parties of the provisions of arms limitation and disarmament agreements and maintaining or restoring the integrity of such agreements;

4. Welcomes the role that the United Nations has played in fostering negotiations on certain arms limitation and disarmament agreements;

5. Requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide any assistance that may be necessary in fostering negotiations on arms limitation and disarmament agreements;